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In re application of

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MINIATURE CONFOCAL OPTICAL HEAD WITH INTEGRATED SCANNING AND CONFOCAL IMAGING SYSTEM USING SAME

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 10, 2008

Sir:

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In response to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2008, for which the period for response has been extended three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

An $\mbox{Appendix}$ is attached following the signature page of this paper.